

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 11, 12, 15 and 16 as shown below. The claims, as pending in the subject application, now read as follows:

1. to 10. (Canceled)

11. (Currently amended) A print service system comprising:

an acquiring unit adapted to acquire a designated type of print devices for printing a content based on a print order;

a first judging unit adapted to judge whether or not the print order for the content indicates is to be printed in color printing; and

a print control unit adapted to control the printing of the content so as to generate a plurality of print jobs based on the print order, assign the generated plurality of print jobs to a plurality of print devices having a designated type matching with the print order, respectively, and print the content using the print order for the [[a]] plurality of print devices, having the designated type when said first judging unit judges that the print order for the content does not indicate is not to be printed in color printing, but so as to generate a single print job based on the print order, assign the generated single print job to a single print device selected from among a plurality of print devices having a designated type matching with the print order, and print the content using the assigned single [[one]] print device, selected from among the plurality of print devices having the designated type when said first judging unit judges that the print order for the content indicates is to be printed in color printing.

12. (Currently amended) The system according to claim 11, further comprising a second judging unit adapted to judge whether or not the [[a]] print order is a reorder, wherein, when said second judging unit judges that the print order is a reorder, said acquiring unit acquires information identifying a print device used at a previous print order and said print control unit controls the printing of the content so as to assign the generated print job to the print device identified by the acquired information and print the content using the assigned print device identified by the acquired information.

13. and 14. (Canceled)

15. (Currently amended) A print service method comprising the steps of:
acquiring a designated type of print devices for printing a content based on a print order;

judging whether or not the print order for the [[a]] content indicates is to be printed in-color printing; and

controlling the printing of the content so as to generate using a plurality of print jobs based on the print order, assign the generated plurality of print jobs to a plurality of print devices having a [[the]] designated type matching with the print order, respectively, and print when it is judged in said judging step that the content using the assigned is not to be printed in color but is to be printed using one print device selected from among the plurality of print devices, having the designated type when it is judged in said judging step that the print order for the content does not indicate is to be printed in-color printing, but so as to generate a single print job based on the print order, assign the generated single print job to a single print device selected

from among a plurality of print devices having a designated type matching with the print order, and the content using the assigned single print device, when it is judged in said judging step that the print order for the content indicates color printing.

16. (Currently amended) The system according to claim 11, wherein said print control unit, when said first judging unit judges that the print order for the content does ~~[[is]]~~ not indicate to be printed in-color printing, controls the printing of to print the content so as to generate a plurality of pages or a plurality of copies included in the content based on the print order, assign the generated plurality of print jobs to a plurality of print devices having a designated type matching with the print order, respectively, and print the content using the assigned by assigning a print job for a respective page or a respective copy of the content to each of the plurality of print devices ~~having the designated type.~~